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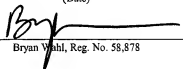
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**AMENDMENT, SUPPLEMENTAL RESPONSE, INTERVIEW SUMMARY, AND
RESPONSE TO NONCOMPLIANT AMENDMENT**

Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed July 24, 2007 and the Notice of Non-compliant Amendment mailed November 15, 2007, and as a supplement to Applicant's Response to Final Office Action and Request for Continued Examination filed on October 31, 2007, Applicants respectfully submit the following paper, and a request for a second month extension of time. Please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.

Listing of the Claims begins on page 2 of this paper.

Summary of Interview begins on page 5 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.